

FISCAL NOTE

SB 1468 - HB 1519

March 7, 2001

SUMMARY OF BILL: Defines under the Health, Educational and Housing Facilities Corporations statute "public television station" and "project" with reference to the production and broadcast of television programs. Specifies that public television stations benefit the people of Tennessee and should be provided with appropriate additional means to assist in the development, operation and maintenance of educational facilities and that it is the intent of the General Assembly to facilitate this to the fullest extent permitted by law.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

Estimate assumes bill does not require appropriation of funds but provides for public broadcasting projects to be undertaken through Health, Educational and Housing Facilities Corporations. Such entities are tax exempt but make payments in lieu of taxes.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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